GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
SHIPPING
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1658
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PASSENGER SHIPS BETWEEN CHENNAI AND ANDAMAN ISLANDS
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Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have operated any passenger ships between Chennai -Andaman Islands; and

(b) if so, the details with fare structure and durations of journey?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING (SHRI HUKUMDEO NARAYAN YADAV)

(a) The Andaman and Nicobar Administration is operating two passenger-cum-cargo vessels viz. m.v. Nancowry and m.v. Swaraj Dweep between Chennai-Andaman Islands;

(b) The fare structure is as follows:

Class of accommodation	Fare for islanders (In Rupees)	Fare for non-islanders (In Rupees)
Deluxe	2,280.00	4,140.00
`A` Cabin	2,050.00	3,420.00
`B` Cabin	1,520.00	2,700.00
Bunk	400.00	1,150.00

The duration of the journey is approximately 55-65 hours depending on weather conditions.